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The Duke of Cambridge at the Canadian Camp.

Shortly after four o'clock the Duke of Cambridge, who was accompanied by Lord Wolseley, arrived at the Camp station by special train from London, and at once proceeded to the Canadian Camp, where the Cape Volunteers were also drawn up. All told, the small column, in the varied uniforms of Foot Guards, Highlanders, Rifles, etc., numbered about thirty officers and men. The Duke of Cambridge was not expected before five o'clock, but in anticipation of the visit officers and men were ready. After the usual salute the Duke inspected the ranks, stopping and having converse with each officer and man, asking particularly whether they liked the change from Wimbledon to Bisley. With only a few exceptions the verdict was in favor of Bisley. Lord Wolseley recognized several officers who were under his command when he was in Canada. At the close of the inspection the Duke of Cambridge addressed the volunteers, and expressed the pleasure he felt in welcoming Her Majesty's troops from the Dominion of Canada and the Cape. He personally congratulated Colonel Prior, of the Canadian team, and Major Spence, of the Cape team, on the smart appearance of their corps, and in a brief address pointed out the importance of Imperial Federation. An instance of the unity of feeling existing between the home troops and their comrades across the sea was exemplified in the fact that most of those whom he had the pleasure of seeing that day had travelled some six thousand miles to rub shoulders with their comrades at home. It was unquestionable that they gained advantages in coming to the National Rifle Meeting, and though perhaps they had not been so successful as could have been wished, they would take back with them ideas which would be useful to the corps they represented. His Royal Highness, in conclusion, bade them farewell, and hoped to see them even in larger strength next year.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Louise from New Westminster—Miss Emma Hunter, Mr Hunter, Mrs Mayer, Mrs Jones, Mrs Mac, Mrs Armolas, Miss Jones, W F Livock, H C Beeton, Mr Mayers, C Carpentere, Master Carpenere, F D Maynard, Peter Jones, Louis Edgar, M Gordon, John Fullway, E Reid, John Earber, R Donaldson, James Barber, John Bragg, James Donaldson, James Donaldson Jr, H Davidson, Fritz Hoepfner, Thos Rassel, James Bennessor, Peter Arnolds, John Clayton, John Durrop, Victor Kegldrum, Henry Mills, Charles Deslay, Charles La Roche, James Stewart, M Sullivan, Josiah Gosse, James McClay, Harry Anderson, Thos Ostram, F A Pan, D Adams, Mr Stanley, Geo Banbridge, Mr Jewellen, and 18 steerage.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Laura Eckcoff, M Myers, J A Cohen, D Carmody, D Bassett, Mrs H Fry, A Lawson, Miss Carmichael, W S Patterson, A B Rathburne, L King, Dr McKenzie, J McDougall, F Eckcoff, W B Moeller, Mrs Edwards, Mrs Bailey, Thos Hooper, A Brown, Thos A Dalton, C Davidson, Mrs Patterson, E Mohern, J A Johnston, A E C Jones, Master F Smith, M Wall, J Reddin, J Edwards, M Baw, Sam Grier, E Parry, P Le Levre, J Van Velkenburgh, Jas Orr, Mrs Mohrn, Mrs Johnston, K McLeafe.

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER

THE SHIPPING TRADE OF CANADA AND THE WORLD.

Increase of Vessels and Decrease of Tonnage—Food Adulteration in Canada—A Great Combination Soon to be Formed—Mormons in Canada.

From our own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Aug. 2.—From the Marine Department, printed under the authority of Sir Charles Tupper, appeared a list of shipping, being a list of vessels on the registry books of the Dominion of Canada. There is a decrease in tonnage when compared with last year's returns of 47,161 tons register and an increase of 11 vessels. Altogether there were 7,153 vessels on the Dominion registry books on December 31, 1889. These include old and new vessels, steamers and barges measuing 1,040,481 tons. The number of steamers on the registry books was 1,384, making a total tonnage of 205,630. Assuming the average value per ton to be $30, the value of the registered tonnage therefore on December 31st last would be about $31,218,430. The total value for new vessels would be about $1,545,570, there being 280 registered during the year measuring 34,346 tonnage. A summary by provinces gives the following result:

	Vessels and steamers.	Net tonnage.
New Brunswick	1,013	218,878
Nova Scotia	2,855	464,431
Quebec	1,455	103,500
Ontario	1,353	141,939
Prince Edward Island	224	25,506
British Columbia	176	15,241
Manitoba	77	6,031
Total	7,153	1,040,481

British Columbia shipping is as follows:

Victoria	130	11,347
Westminster	46	3,904
Total	176	15,241

The maritime states of the world own 10,469 registered steamships, of which 56 per cent. or 5,934 are British. The gross tonnage of steamers is 12,087,335, and the net tonnage 7,820,907. There are 37,955 sailing vessels with a net tonnage of 11,095,284, making the total net tonnage of both steamers and sailing vessels 18,916,191.

ADULTERATION OF FOOD.

The Inland Revenue Department has issued its report in regard to food inspection. One hundred and nine samples of lard were examined, of which 38 were of Canadian, 11 of unknown, and 60 of United States origin. Of the Canadian three out of the whole were adulterated, while of the United States product only one was genuine. The examination of winter and summer milk was undertaken to determine a standard. Of 267 samples of winter milk 71 were passed by the inspector as undoubtedly genuine, and 196 were subjected to analyses. Of these 87 were found to be defective—nearly one-third of the entire samples taken. The unadulterated samples showed a general average of 12.58 per cent. of total solids and 3.79 per cent. of butter fat.

ALUM IN BAKING POWDERS.

The chief analyst, as well as his assistant, take very strong grounds against the use of alum in baking powders. In the report of the former, he says that the use of alum in bread making is prohibited in most countries where food adulteration laws have been enacted, and that alumina is not to be found in any speecies of food or drink used by man, nor does it occur in any part of the system. On these grounds he thinks the use of alum in compounding baking powder should be prohibited. The latter reason appears to have considerable force, Mr. Miall, the commissioner of the department is inclined to think the use of alum in bread is prohibited on the ground that it is an agent by the use of which bread made from inferior flour can be so whitened as to be undistinguishable from that made from the best, the legislation being directed rather against commercial fraud than against the unwholesome character of the agent.

It is a pleasure to note says Mr. Miall that the larger cities are beginning to avail themselves of the facilities offered by the act, more especially as regards the inspection of milk. As simple methods of detecting frauds in respect of other articles of food are discovered, it is hoped that municipal action will be further extended, as by this means the ground can be fairly covered.

COTTON TRUST.

There have been so many trade combinations and trusts formed or about to be formed in Canada that the attempt to form another on a gigantic scale is rightfully viewed by the people with more than ordinary apprehension. The negotiations to dispose of all the Canadian breweries to an English syndicate, the present owners to hold a share in the grand combination, failed, as did some other attempts of a similar kind, but for all that we have got our sugar combinations, our coal combines, etc., which every good house-keeper regrets. Encouraged by these, and to evade disaster, which is falling upon many and which is bound to come to others, the cotton manufacturers saw a remedy through the formation of a gigantic combine, embracing all the cotton mills in Canada. I am informed that Mr. Gault of Montreal, has just returned from England, having failed to attract English capital towards such enterprise. If this be so there can be no gainsaying the fact that the very objects of the National Policy have not only failed but they have been a curse to Canada. Cotton is taxed from 35 to 60 per cent., which means that the Canadian consumer pays for $1 worth of goods 35 cents or 60c more than if there were no National Policy. To be told now that with this high protection cotton lords are unable to make ends meet and also to know that the workingmen of the country have not had any more employment or higher wages is a sad commentatory on a high protective tariff, which, as the saying rightly goes, does not protect.

TOTAL INVESTMENT.

The total amount of investment in the cotton mills of the Dominion is between $10,000,000 and $11,000,000 and, according to some of those in the trade, there is no interest being paid on that money. Some of the manufactories, notably those in the vicinity of Montreal, are paying small dividends, but several Ontario concerns never paid one cent in the way of profits. Some time ago, under these circumstances, an English company authorised a New York agent to make an offer for all the cotton factories in Canada. It appears that the proposition made through this agent was to give 66⅔ per cent. of the existing value of the mills, the vendors to take the balance in shares. As this would not recoup the mill owners for what they put in the concerns, some of them refused. One of the mills, which held out against this offer, was the Merriton mills, which are now for sale. As to what Mr. Gault has been able to do it is difficult to say. It is enough, however, for the people to know that national industries and natural talents should never be taxed to support hot-house plants, which but flourish for a season.

THE MORMONS.

The Canadian Government is in receipt of protests from the people of the Fort McLeod, N.W.T., against the encouragement of the Mormon population to the Northwest Territories from Utah. There can be but one object in these people coming in shoals from the United States where the law has prevented them from practising polygamy, that is that they may, through time, be able to carry it on in Canada. To do this they are forming themselves into a company to purchase a large tract of land from the Government, so that they may be able to trade and live together almost exclusively from other settlers. In other words they are laying the foundation of another Salt Lake City.

SLABTOWN.

AUDIENCE WITH THE POPE.

The Deputy Minister of Marine Has an Interview With His Holiness.

OTTAWA, Aug. 4.—Mr. William Smith Deputy Minister of Marine, in a letter to an Ottawa gentleman, thus describes his recent visit to the Vatican and a private audience with the Pope: I spent a week in Rome and was delighted. I spent a very pleasant time with the great Cardinal Simeoni, the perfect of the Propaganda. He astonished me with his knowledge. I spent part of an evening with Mgr. Jacobini, the secretary of the Propaganda. Mgr. Jacobini was very kind to me, and wrote to the Holy Father through the Grand Maestra de Camera that I would like to be presented to His Holiness, and I soon received a letter telling me when to come. I had a long private audience with him, and he asked many things about Canada and our government. He is a dear old man, and to see him is to love him. He is 82 years of age, and walks very smart but stoops very much. He was walking in the garden when I went to the Vatican, and as I was looking at some paintings in one of the ante-rooms, he came in unexpectedly and gave me a most cordial reception, and asked me to come into his private room with him. So I walked immediately behind him, and he placed me in a chair close beside him. In following him I could not fail to notice how smart he walked. He is very like Sir John Macdonald, and might pass for his brother. When I was speaking to Lord Dufferin about the likeness he fully agreed with me, and said he was remarkably like him."

THE REVOLVER IN ENGLAND.

A Discharged Soldier Kills Three People Over a Dispute.

A shocking triple murder occurred lately in London, Eng. It appears that a man named Hargan, alias Harper, who claims to be a discharged soldier, quarrelled with William Lambert and John Wheeler while sitting together in a bar-room. The landlord ejected them. When outside Hargan immediately drew a revolver and shot both men through the head. They fell dead on the sidewalk. The bystanders attempted to capture the murderer, who immediately shot again, killing a third man. An enormous and excited crowd then gathered around Hargan, who kept everyone at bay, leveling his revolver and backing down the street. No one had the courage to make an attempt to capture him until William Kulfton, a brother of the prizefighter, and another man grappled with him from behind. Then began a desperate fight for life. Hargan managed to fire his revolver three times into the crowd without hitting Kulfton or doing any damage. The fight lasted a quarter of an hour, during which time Kulfton was nearly killed, and Hargan nearly torn to pieces. His clothes were stripped from him, and when finally exhausted and bleeding he fell to the sidewalk the crowd stamped on him and would have lynched him but for the arrival of the police. He was picked up in a dying condition and carried to the station-house on a stretcher. Hargan left the West Surrey regiment three months ago, and went to New York in search of employment. He was not successful in finding it, and returned here a few days ago. He asserts that the dead men robbed him the night before, and at the station-house, in giving his deposition, he said he had served them only as they would have been served in America for a similar offense. He says he has been a clerk in New York, also in Philadelphia. His full name is Walter Alfred Hargan, and is evidently a man of some refinement and education.

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NATIVES OF ALASKA.

KATE FIELD DESCRIBES THE INHABITANTS.

Their Mode of Living, Etc. Putrid Food Has No Ill Effect on the Innuits—The Yukons, and How They Treat Their Women—Disposal of the Dead.

Alaska is peopled by four distinct races, all of whom are labeled "Indians," though two of them bear no likeness to the red man. First and farthest north are the Innuits, commonly known as Eskimos or "raw fish-eaters," the only inhabitants of this continent who are undoubtedly of the same ancestry as the inhabitants of all polar regions.

Extending five thousand miles along the coast and one hundred miles inland, with six months of a day, six months of night, these almost white, small, thick-set, muscular, dirty people, redolent of train-oil, clad in furs, hating salt, and often eating raw or rotten food, keep body and soul together with apparent satisfaction by fishing and hunting during the long summer months.

Whalers have frequently carried Eskimos to the Sandwich Islands for the winter, thinking to thaw but and delight their souls, but in vain. These children of the North Pole have invariably sighed for the oil-pots of Alaska.

Hibernating in underground houses during the winter, they use little or no fire except for cooking, the necessary heat being supplied by fatty food, furs, and an almost hermetically sealed atmosphere. This lack of oxygen produces no more ill effect upon Eskimos than upon humble Chinese, for disease is uncommon and only children and old people die. Though they take kindly to ardent spirits, no native intoxicant has, so far, been discovered, tobacco and gluttony acting as substitutes. There is no slavery among these people, whose form of government is patriarchal. Women are regarded as inferior and treated accordingly. It is good manners for them to wait on the men and to turn their backs on their liege lords while the latter are eating.

Eskimos living on the shore of Behring Strait have constant commercial intercourse with Asia, sell their pelts to their next-door neighbors, and show by their carvings in wood and ivory unusual artistic capacity. I have in my possession the nude figure of a woman, engaged in a religious dance, that is admirable in poise and truthfulness to nature. People who can do such work can readily be civilized, though they do now salute one another by rubbing noses like dogs. They are independent, social, gay and greatly given to dancing, which is the chief winter amusement. They believe in a future state, but are not burdened with any form of religion. The shaman or medicine man, however, holds great sway.

These Hyperboreans, as a rule, are brave, but in contests with their great enemy, Bruin, they do not hesitate to resort to strategy. The Eskimo's dynamite is a bent piece of stiff whalebone encased in a frozen ball of blubber. On Bruin's approach, the Eskimo arms himself with this unique weapon and begins the fight with a discharge of arrows. Smarting with pain, Bruin turns upon his persecutor, who, taking to his heels, drops now and then a blubber ball. Bruin is nothing if not greedy. He stops to swallow, whole, ball after ball. A change comes o'er that startled bear. Thawed by the heat of poor Bruin's stomach, the blubber releases the pent-up whalebone, which, springing into place, plays havoc with the intestines and brings Bruin to an agonizing and ignominious end.

But the most dangerous animal of Northern Alaska is the deadly mosquito. From May until the frosts of September this fiend pervades the atmosphere, rendering life a curse. Even the heavily draped bear is driven into the water, dogs are often bitten to death, and man saves himself by being saturated with oil and ammonia.

The dragon-fly is well liked, because it is said to have been sent by the raven to kill mosquitoes, so big in ancient times as to light on natives and suck all their blood. The present species can only sing and sting. Gnats are equally pestiferous.

Of the thirty thousand natives in Alaska, the Eskimos constitute by far the largest number, the lowest estimate being seventeen thousand.

Next in order of residence come the Athabascans, better known as the Yukon Indians, who inhabit the interior, and, according to report, do not exceed 3,500. The number is put as low as 1000. These Indians are dog-drivers; otherwise they are so akin to North American tribes as to need little comment. They believe they sprang from a dog, and once were so imbued with respect for their canine ancestry that they ceased to use dogs in drawing sleuges, and employed women in their stead! Poor women! Is it strange that female infanticide is common among them? Many women, to save their daughters from misery, take them into the woods, stuff grass into their mouths and leave them to die.

On the Upper Yukon, the man takes a wife as he buys oxen. The more wives, the more, meat he can have hauled, the more wood cut, the more goods carried. Here, too, the widow is forced to ascend the burning funeral pyre, throw herself upon her husband's body and remain there until her hair is burned off and she is almost suffocated. After staggering from the pyre she must thrust her hand through the flames and place it upon her husband's bosom, to prove her devotion. Yet these same Indians, so callous to female suffering, are universally generous in their hospitality.

Whymper says no one goes unfed, unhoused or unwarmed if there is food, dwelling or fire in the settlement. "We are not savages. We are Yukon Indians!" the exclaim. Whymper saw so much harmless fun and amusement among these Indians, and they evidently found so much enjoyment in hunting and fishing, that he wished they might never see much of the white man, and never learn the baneful habits and customs sure to be instilled.

Though called by the Russians the "Frenchmen of the North," to distinguish them from the more stolid Eskimos, these Athabascans are infinitely less thrifty than their polar neighbors, and often suffer starvation. Among other game they hunt the mountain sheep, or goat, as skillfully as the Swiss hunt the chamois. The meat of this superb creature, with magnificent horns, is said to equal in flavor that of the best tame mutton. Bears are also in order, and bear stories form no small part of the conversation around campfires.

A Yukon Indian approaches a black bear within a few feet, whereupon Bruin faces him and, rising on his haunches, prepares for a hug. Drawing his knife deliberately, the Indian addresses Bruin as a man and brother: "I know you are not afraid; neither am I. I am as brave as you." After this speech the Indian advances cautiously, and, when Bruin is off his guard, stabs him in a vital spot. The result, however, is not always in favor of the Indian.

The Eskimos place their dead in boxes elevated above the ground on four posts. Sometimes the interior Indians leave bodies to be eaten by birds and beasts, but cremation seems to be the rule. Nevertheless, if anyone is indiscreet enough to die during the winter, the corpse is carried about by relatives wherever they go, serves for a pillow at night and is not burned until warm weather begins. Think how long the winter and how low the temperature, and you get a vivid idea of that pillow!

In 1868, employees of the Western Union Telegraph Company, then surveying this region, reported that the thermometer was often as low as 68 degrees below zero, but there was no suffering. The men were dressed in furs like Indians and slept in open camps. When they started on long journeys they cooked an entire sack of beans into soup, and, before it was cold, would pour it into a bag, let it freeze and carry it with them. When they comped for the night they took an axe, chopped of their portions of soup, made a fire, and supper was ready as soon as the soup liquified.

EUROPEAN ADVICES.

Pensions to Foreign Princes—Revolt of Siberian Exiles—The Cholera.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—At a meeting of workingmen last night Tom Mann, the noted labor leader, spoke bitterly of the Queen and her grandson, the German Emperor, dining from golden dishes, while thousands of the Queen's subjects are in want of food. He quoted Cardinal Manning, saying that starving men had a right to take bread, and asserted that the crown jewels ought to be sold. Mann was loudly applauded, and the references to the German sovereign were received with cries of "Away with German blood-suckers!"

LONDON, Aug. 11.—A strong movement is on foot to petition parliament to revoke the pensions granted foreign princes who have married into the Royal family, and who are largely dependent upon their English pensions for support. Labouchere is said to be heartily in favor of such movement.

The preparation for the formal transfer of Heligoland to Germany having been concluded, crowds are flocking to Istano to witness the ceremony which will be conducted on a most elaborate scale. Forty-six newspaper reporters will be present in the interest of their respective journals.

The cholera scare which has prevailed at Cairo is subsiding as it is no longer believed that the disease will reach that place. Most of the Europeans who had made every preparation for immediate departure have decided to remain.

At Trieste, Hungary, this morning, a servant girl named Marie Koman was found lying dead in her room, her head having been split open with a hatchet. Examination of the premises disclosed the fact that she had been murdered by robbers who had made away with 38,000 florins worth of property belonging to her master.

The Salvation army has recently been very active in Finland and has received repeated warnings from the authorities there to desist from their peculiar labors. These warnings have not been heeded and the local government has ordered the Salvationists to leave the county forthwith on pain of protracted imprisonment.

Momphre Beoglios, the Armenian Bishop of Alashquerd, has arrived at Constantinople, by way of the Bisond, under guard as a criminal. The charge against him is that he advised his flock to leave Armenia and seek a refuge in Persia. The Bishop was arrested and subjected to most outrageous indignities insulted, spat at, and flogged and thrown into a dungeon and there confined for some time before being sent to Constantinople. Owing to remonstrances by the British and Russian ambassadors he has been given his freedom on parole. A letter from Alashguerd says: "We can neither depart nor stay, and no other course is left us but to perish where we are. The Kurds and Turks openly declare they mean to kill as many Armenians as they can and that they have full permission to do so."

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says: The government is informed that the detail of the prisoners mutinering 180 en route to Siberia attacked the escort consisting of 33 soldiers, and a bloody fight ensued. The soldiers charged upon the prisoners with fixed bayonets and killed eleven of them. A number of others were severely wounded and the revolt was quelled.

Arrived.

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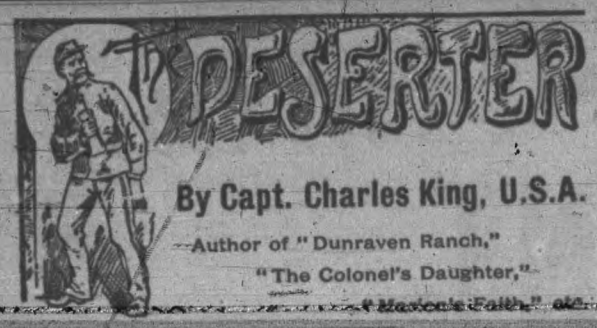

By Capt. Charles King, U.S.A.

Author of "Dunraven Ranch," "The Colonel's Daughter," "Marion's Faith," etc.

CHAPTER IV.

THEIR HOSTESS LED HIM TO HER PIANO.

Facing the broad, bleak prairie, separated from it only by a rough, unpainted picket fence, and flanked by uncouth structures of pine, one of which was used as a storehouse for quartermaster's property, the other as the post trader's depository for skins and furs, there stood the frame cottage which Mr. Hayne had chosen as his home. As has been said, it was precisely like those built for the subaltern officers, so far as material, plan and dimensions were concerned. The locality made the vast difference which really existed. Their's stood all in a row, fronting the grassy level of the parade, surrounded by verandas, bordering on a well kept gravel path and an equally well graded drive. Clear, sparkling water rippled in tiny acquias through the front yards of each, and so furnished the moisture needed for the life of the various little shrubs and flowering plants. The surroundings were at least "sociable," and there was companionship and jollity, with an occasional tiff to keep things lively. The married officers, as a rule, had chosen their quarters farthest from the entrance gate and nearest those of the colonel commanding. The bachelors, except the two or three who were old in the service and had "rank" in lieu of encumbrances, were all herded together along the eastern end, a situation that had disadvantages as connected with duties which required the frequent presence of the occupants at the court martial rooms or at headquarters, and that was correspondingly far distant from the barracks of the soldiers. It had its recommendations in being convenient to the card room and billiard tables at "the store," and embracing within its limits one house which possessed mysterious interest in the eyes of every woman and most of the men in the garrison; it was said to be haunted.

A sorely perplexed man was the post quartermaster when the rumor came out from the railway station that Mr. Hayne had arrived and was coming to report for duty. As a first lieutenant he would have choice of quarters over every second lieutenant in the garrison. There were ten of these young gentlemen, and four of the ten were married. Every set of quarters had its occupants, and Hayne could move in nowhere, unless as occupant of a room or two in the house of some comrade, without first compelling others to move out. This proceeding would lead to vast discomfort, occurring as it would in the dead of winter, and the youngsters were naturally perturbed in spirit—their wives especially so. What made the prospects infinitely worse was the fact that the cavalry bachelors were already living three in a house; the only spare rooms were in the quarters of the second lieutenants of the infantry, and they were not on speaking terms with Mr. Hayne. Everything, therefore, pointed to the probability of his "displacing" a junior, who would in turn displace somebody else, and so they would go tumbling like a row of bricks until the lowest and last was reached. All this would involve no end of worry for the quartermaster, who even under the most favorable circumstances is sure to be the least appreciated and most abused officer under the commandant himself, and that worthy was simply agasp with relief and joy when he heard Mr. Hayne's astonishing announcement that he would take the quarters out on "Prairie avenue."

It was the talk of the garrison all that day. The ladies, especially, had a good deal to say, because many of the men seemed averse to expressing their views. "Quite the proper thing for Mr. Hayne to do," was the apparent opinion of the majority of the young wives and mothers. As a particularly kind and considerate thing it was not remarked by one of them, though that view of the case went not entirely unrepresented. In choosing to live there Mr. Hayne separated himself from companionship. That, said some of the commentators—men as well as woman—he simply accepted as the virtue of necessity, and so there was nothing to commend in his action. But Mr. Hayne was said to possess an eye for the picturesque and beautiful. If so, he deliberately condemned himself to the contemplation of a treeless barren, streaked in occasional shallows with dingy patches of snow, ornamented only in spots by abandoned old hats, boots, or tin cans blown beyond the jurisdiction of the garrison police parties. A line of telegraph poles was all that intervened between his fence, and the low lying hills of the eastern horizon.

Southward lay the distant roofs and the low, squat buildings of the frontier town; southward the shallow valley of the winding creek in which lay the long line of stables for the cavalry and the great stacks of hay; while the row in which he chose to live—"Prairie avenue," as it was termed—was far worse at his end than at the other. It covered the whole eastern front. The big brown hospital building stood at the northern end. Then came the quarters of the surgeon and his assistants, then the snug home of the post trader, then the "store" and its scattering appendages, then the entrance gateway, then a broad open vacant space, through which the wind swept like a hurricane, then the little shanty of the trader's fur house and one or two hovel like structures used by the tailors and cobbler of the adjacent infantry companies. Then came the cottage itself; south of it stood the quartermaster's storeroom, back of which lay an extension filled with ordnance stores, then other and similar sheds devoted to commissary supplies, the post butcher shop, the saddler's shop, then big coal sheds, and then the brow of the bluff, down which at a steep grade plunged the road to the stables. It was as unprepossessing a place for a home as ever was chosen by a man of education or position; and Mr. Hayne was possessed of both.

In garrison, despite the flat parade, there was a grand expanse of country to be seen stretching away toward the snow covered Rockies. There was life and the sense of neighborliness to one's kind. Out on Prairie avenue all was wintry desolation, except when twice each day the cavalry officers went plodding by on their way to and from the stables, muffled up in their fur caps and coats, and hardly distinguishable from so many bears, much less from one another.

And yet Mr. Hayne smiled not unhappily as he glanced from his eastern window at this group of burly warriors the afternoon succeeding his dinner at the colonel's. He had been busy all day long unpacking books, book shelves, some few pictures which he loved, and his simple, soldierly outfit of household goods, and getting them into shape. His sole assistant was a Chinese servant, who worked rapidly and well, and who seemed in no wise dismayed by the bleakness of their surroundings. If anything, he was disposed to grin and indulge in high pitched commentaries in "pidgin English" upon the unaccustomed amount of room. His master had been restricted to two rooms and a kitchen during the two years he had served him. Now they had a house to themselves, and more rooms than they knew what to do with. The quartermaster had sent a detail of men to put up the stoves and move out the rubbish left by the tailors. "Sam" had worked vigorously with soft soap, hot water and a big mop in sprucing up the rooms; the adjutant had sent a little note during the moring, saying that the colonel would be glad to order him any men he needed to put the quarters in proper shape, and that Capt. Rayner had expressed his readiness to send a detail from the company to unload and unpack his boxes, etc., to which Mr. Hayne replied in person that he thanked the commanding officer for his thoughtfulness, but that he had very little to unpack, and needed no assistance beyond that already afforded by the quartermaster's men. Mr. Billings could not help noting that he made no allusion to that part of the letter which spoke of Capt. Rayner's offer. It increased his respect for Mr. Hayne's perceptive powers.

While every officer of the infantry battalion was ready to admit that Mr. Hayne had rendered valuable service to the men of the cavalry regiment, they were not so unanimous in their opinion as to how it should be acknowledged and requited by its officers. No one was prepared for the announcement that the colonel had asked him to dinner and that Blake and Billings were to meet him. Some few of their number thought it going too far, but no one quite coincided with the vehemen tdeclaration of Mr. Rayner that it was an outrage and an affront aimed at the regiment in general and at Capt. Rayner in particular. She was an energetic woman when aroused, and there was no doubt of her being very much aroused as she sped from house to house to see what the other ladies thought of it. Rayner's wealth and Mrs. Rayner's qualities had made her an undoubted though not always popular leader in all social matters in the Riflers. She was an authority, so to speak, and one who knew it. Already there had been some points on which she had differed with the colonel's wife, and it was plain to all that it was a difficult thing for her to come down from being the authority—the leader of the social element of a garrison—and from the position of second or third importance which she had been accorded when first assigned to the station.

There were many, indeed, who asserted that it was because she found her new position unbearable that she decided on her long visit to the east, and departed thither before the Riflers had been at Warrener a month. The colonel's wife had greeted her and her lovely sister with charming grace on their arrival two days previous to the stirring event of the dinner, and every one was looking forward to a probable series of pleasant entertainments by the two households, even while wondering how long the entente cordiale would last—when the colonel's invitation to Mr. Hayne brought on an immediate crisis. It is safe to say that Mrs. Rayner was madder than the captain her husband, who hardly knew how to take it. He was by no means the best liked officer in his regiment, nor the "deepest" and best informed, but he had a native shrewdness which helped him. He noted even before his wife would speak of it to him the gradual dying out of the bitter feeling that had once existed at Hayne's expense. He felt, though it hurt him seriously to make inquiries, that the man whom he had practically crushed and ruined in the long ago was slowly but surely gaining strength, even where he would not make friends.

Worse than all, he was beginning to doubt the evidences of his own senses as the years receded, and unknown to any soul on earth, even his wife, there was growing up deep down in his heart a gnawing, insiduous, ever festering fear that after all, after all, he might have been mistaken. And yet on the sacred oath of a soldier and a gentleman, against the most searching cross-examination, again and again had he most confidently and positively declared that he had both seen and heard the fatal interview on which the whole case hinged. And as to the exact language employed, he alone of those within earshot had lived to testify for or against the accused; of the five soldiers who stood in that now celebrated group, three were shot to death within the hour. He was growing nervous, irritable, haggard; he was getting to hate the mere mention of the case. The promotion of Hayne to his own company thrilled him with an almost superstitious dismay. Were his words coming true? Was it the judgment of an offended God that his hideous pride, obstinacy and old time hatred of this officer were now to be revenged by daily, hourly contact with the victim of his criminal persecution? He had grown morbidly sensitive to any remarks as to Haynes's having "lived down" the toils in which he had been encircled. Might he not "live down" the ensnarer? He dreaded to see him—though Rayner was no coward—and he feared day by day to hear of his restoration to fellowship in the regiment, and yet would have given half his wealth to bring it about, could it have been accomplished without the dreadful admission, "I was wrong. I was utterly wrong."

He had grown lavish in hospitality; he had become almost aggressively openhanded to his comrades, and had sought to press money upon men who in no wise needed it. He was as eager to lend as some are to borrow, and his brother officers dubbed him "Midas," not because everything he touched would turn to gold, but because he would intrude his gold upon them at every turn. There were some who borrowed; and these he struggled not to let repay. He seemed to have an insane idea that if he could but get his regimental friends bound to him pecuniarily he could control their opinions and actions. It was making him sick at heart, and it made him in secret doubly vindictive and bitter against the man he had doomed to years of suffering. This showed out that very morning. Mrs. Rayner had begun to talk, and he turned fiercely upon her:

"Not a word on that subject, Kate, if you love me!—not even the mention of his name! I must have peace in my own house. It is enough to have to talk of it elsewhere."

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CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business at 34 Yates street, known as Steitz Bros., Restaurant and Bakery has this day been sold to Mr. C. C. Fox. It is requested that all bills owing the old firm will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts to 2nd July, will be paid on presentation by the undersigned. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, we solicit a continuance of the same for our successor.

STEITZ BROS.

Victoria, 28th July, 1890. jy30

In continuing the above business, I respectfully solicit a continuation of the patronage hitherto extended to Messrs. Steitz Bros., and shall endeavor to merit the same by keeping the business up to its present excellent standard, and by careful attention to the wants of my customers.

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LICENSE NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT THE next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners I intend to apply for the transfer of the license from Steitz and Pelletier, 34 Yates street, to C. C. Fox, in the same premises.

C. C. FOX.

Victoria, Aug., 8, 1890. au8

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented and intoxicating liquors on the premises known as No. 34 Erie street, James Bay, the same being situate on town lot No. 1350 in the City of Victoria.

HENRY GLIDE.

Dated this 4th day of Aug., A.D. 1890. au9m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the next sitting of the Licensing Court I intend to apply for permission to sell wines and liquors at the premises, No. 106 Yates street.

R. A. SHORE.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 6, 1890. au6-tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Court for the City of Victoria, for permission to sell wines, spirits, beer and other fermented liquors on the premises known as the Stelly House, situate on the south-west corner of Blanchard and Johnson streets in the said City of Victoria, British Columbia.

JOHN DROUT.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1890. au7

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INtend to apply to the Licensing Court at its next sitting for a transfer from Joseph C. Devlin to me of his license to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises situate on the north-east corner of Broad and Yates streets in the City of Victoria.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.

Dated at Victoria, August 1st 1890. au1-1m

In consequence of the above notice, interested parties have circulated the rumor that I intend to open a bar on my premises. I have no intention of selling liquor, either wholesale or retail, and desire the public to know it.

A. J. ROWBOTHAM.

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A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above mentioned lands will be issued to Walter Scott Chambers on the 9th day of August, 1890, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lands, or some part thereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 7th May, 1890. my15-3m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 19 and 20 of Suburban Lot VI Victoria City.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the expiration of one month from the date hereof I shall effect registration of the above property in the name of Joseph Gardner as owner in fee simple, in pursuance of an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated the 10th June, 1890 unless in the meantime cause be shown to the contrary.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry office, Victoria, 25th July 1890. jy25-1m

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CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

Newsy Items Gathered from Different Parts of the Dominion.

Rev. Father Paradis, who recently gained notoriety by his struggle with the Superior of the Oblate Order, is founding, with permission, a new order to be known as the Oblate missionaries of St. Jean Baptiste. The motto of the new order is the "extension and consolidation of the church and country by progressive taking up of land."

[illegible] Stratford, Ont., was fined $25 because a contingent of salvationists were disturbing the peace of inhabitants. An appeal has been entered.

The family of Henry Elliot, confectioner, Notre Dame street, Montreal, had a narrow escape from poisoning by eating deleterious meat. Five members were prostrated, and it was only after excessive efforts on the part of the physicians that their lives were saved.

The difficulty of finding a leader for the Quebec Opposition still continues. It is understood Judge Loranger declines the post, and it will likely be offered to Nantel, member for Terrebonne.

Contractor Randolph Macdonald has brought suits against Toronto, claiming nearly a quarter of a million dollars damages in connection with the Don River Improvement works.

The news of the appointment of Rev. Father O'Connor, of Sandwich, to be Bishop of London has been received with much satisfaction.

Wright's lead mine in Temiscamingue district is now in full operation. Seventy men are employed.

The general conference of the Methodist Church of Canadas open in Montreal September 10th.

The Grenadier Guards.

The 2nd Battalion Grenadier Guards was paraded at Wellington Barracks on Monday fortnight and inspected by the Duke of Cambridge. The categorical denial by Colonel Maitland of the statement that he had been superseded was made probably in ignorance of the decision of the Horse Guards to place Colonel the Hon. C. F. Eaton in command of the battalion. The new commandant was present when the Duke arrived, and it was also seen that the battalion had been provided with a new adjutant. The Duke addressed the men in strong terms, declaring that he could no longer treat them as Guards because they had disgraced themselves, and there was no alternative but to send them out of the country. One report states that Colonel Eaton, addressing the men after the departure of the Duke, promised that there should be "no vexatious punishments for trifling offences." At the parade the sentences on the non-commissioned officers and men who were charged as ringleaders in the acts of insubordination were read out. The sentences vary between two years and 18 months' imprisonment. Two of the prisoners, it is said, tore off their medals and threw them across the barrack square. Two young men of the battalion were yesterday charged at a police court with violent assaults in the streets. It was suspected that their object was to get themselves sent to prison, and thereby avoid embarking with the battalion.

SPEECH OF THE DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE.

The Duke of Cambridge, addressing the battalion, said: Officers and men the 2nd Battalion Grenadiers,—I can no longer speak of you as Guards, for you have disgraced what I have hitherto regarded as the first regiment in the British army. During the fifty years I have been connected with the regiment I have ever considered it the model regiment of the British army, and as I rode along your ranks this morning I was grieved to think that so fine a body of men should so utterly have disgraced themselves. It is useless for the non-commissioned officers to deny that they were aware of the feeling which existed among the men and which ended in the recent deplorable manifestation of insubordination. Unfortunately, not a single man had come forward to state the grievance of which the men complained. Her Majesty has been deeply grieved that it has become necessary to send the men abroad, but there was no other alternative. Turning to Colonel Eaton his Royal Highness, who appeared to be deeply moved, said: "Good-bye, and be good to the men."—Colonel Eaton also addressed a few remarks to the men. He said he was accompanying them not only as a commanding officer, but also as a friend, and he trusted that they would be able to regain the character they had lost. He intended that they should have no cause of complaint and there would be no vexatious punishments for frivolous and trifling offences. The Duke of Cambridge with the headquarter staff then rode away, and the men were shortly afterwards dismissed.

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Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The assessment roll of the said City for the year 1890 shall be returned by the assessor to the clerk of the Municipal Council on the 20th day of August, 1890.

2. Any and all persons complaining of his, her or their respective assessments on the said roll shall within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning said roll notify in writing the clerk of the Municipal Council of his, her or their grounds of complaint.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 22nd day of September, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon after as they can be heard.

This By-Law may be cited as the By-Law respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

Passed the Municipal Council the 25th day of June, 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1037

A BY-LAW

Prohibiting the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors to Minors Under the Age of 20 Years.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law no person or persons holding a license or licenses from the Corporation of the City of Victoria to sell liquors within the Corporate Limits of the said City of Victoria shall sell or cause to sell or otherwise dispose of or allow to be given or sold upon the premises in respect of which he is licensed any wine, spirits, ale, beer or other intoxicating liquor within the Corporate limits of the said City of Victoria to any person or persons under the age of twenty years, nor shall said person or persons holding such license or licenses as aforesaid permit any person or persons under the age of twenty years to remain upon his premises so licensed, and shall eject any such person or persons under said age from said premises.

No person or persons so licensed as aforesaid shall permit any gambling, card playing or dice throwing by any person or persons under said age upon any premises in respect of which he holds a license as aforesaid.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-Law shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month or by paying a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100.00).

This By-Law may be cited as "The By-Law Regulating the Sale of Liquor to Minors and for Other Purposes."

Passed the Municipal Council the 14th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1039

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law, 1890.

WHEREAS on account of the increased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law 1890.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 20-1000ths of one per cent and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 20-1000ths of one per cent in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the City Hall Addition By-Law 1890, By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1031

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 21-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 21-1000ths of one per cent in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1030

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Cemetery Loan By-Law, 1890.

WHEREAS on account of the increased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Cemetery Loan By-Law 1890.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 8-1000ths of one per cent and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 8-1000ths of one per cent in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Reduction of the Special Rate Imposed by the Cemetery Loan By-Law 1890 By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1031

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Paper Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Paper Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by the said By-Law shall be 12-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 12-1000ths of one per cent, in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Paper Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1030

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Sugar Refinery Bonus By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Sugar Refinery Bonus By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by the said By-Law shall be 27-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 27-1000ths of one per cent, in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Sugar Refinery Bonus By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1031

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by the said By-Law shall be 9-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 9-1000ths of one per cent, in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Flour Mill Bonus By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. 1031

A BY-LAW

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Victoria-Saanich and New Westminster Bonus By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS on account of the increased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Victoria-Saanich and New Westminster Bonus By-Law 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 21-1000ths of one per cent and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 21-1000ths of one per cent in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Reduction of the Special Rate imposed by the Victoria-Saanich and New Westminster Railway Bonus By-law 1889 By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
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LOCAL MATTERS.

It seems to us that in respect to our local attractions too much is being taken for granted. We have this and we have that for surety, and above all a "glorious climate," but in the matter of certain features incident thereto more or less disagreeable, and reflecting seriously on our enterprise and good taste, not a word is said. An Athletic Association goes to work and erects a building that obstructs the view and a tremendous row is raised, an injunction is taken out, and is subsequently quashed, and the question of the obstruction to the view at the foot of Menzies street is turned over to somebody for adjudication. Now as to the merits of this case we shall not here discuss. We only allude to it as offering a contrast to the lack of interest so conspicuous in the matter of our streets, our drives, our park, and finally the Esplanade. The subject is a discouraging one. So indifferent, apparently, are Victorians to the condition of our streets and drives, so callousof are they with respect to the appearance of the park, that we had almost said that their conception of the beautiful is extremely primitive, if not undeveloped altogether. Certain it is that people content to be choked with dust, satisfied to be swamped amid piles of broken stone, and serenely indifferent to the parched appearance of Beacon Hill, have nothing to brag about in point of fine conception of what is either beautiful or comfortable. Under the circumstances, we repeat, this is a discouraging subject. It seems like folly to protest against slothfulness when so far as we can see everybody is quite content to abide it. Nevertheless we ask if it is the intention of the public to allow Beacon Hill to degenerate into a cow pasture, worse than a cow pasture, in fact, for such are not dusty. Last Saturday over five hundred people were assembled at Beacon Hill, and it would be a curious calculation to be able to ascertain just how much dead grass and dust they carried home with them. The sward on Beacon Hill should be kept green if there is water enough in the country to effect it, and above all should the dust be kept down. It is bad enough to be shaken up by Alderman HARRISON's little broken stone, but to go to the park to be asphixiated with atomic particles is just simply putting a premium on mossbackry.

THE COTTON INDUSTRY.

In the cotton industry in Canada we not only have an instance of the folly of protection but the almost criminality of it. According to the Globe the protection afforded the cotton manufacturers "ranges from 25 to 60 per cent. ad valorem; that is to say, they are allowed to charge the consumer that much more for cottons than he would have to pay were foreign cottons admitted free." What has been the result? Sir LEONARD TILLEY, in a speech on the subject, is quoted by the Globe as saying: "I firmly believe that the competition in the cost of cotton manufactures in twelve months, when we have 400,000 spindles instead of 180,000 which we have now, will produce such a result that there will be little difference in the prices here of any description of such goods and the prices in the United States." "What our manufacturers say," he proceeded, "is this—We can manufacture here as cheaply as in the United States, but we want the market. We are preparing for the sharpest competition, and we do not fear our friends on the other side of the line if we have the home market, while the competition among ourselves will keep the prices down to the consumer." But Sir LEONARD has proved himself a false prophet. Prices have neither been "kept down to the consumer" nor have the cotton manufacturers succeeded in establishing a market abroad. The specific effect of the imposition of the tariff was to unduly promote the manufacture of cotton goods. The market became glutted, and to get rid of the surplus a market was sought in China. The venture, however, was not successful. The "heathen Chinee" for some reason or another preferred the British product to the Canadian, probably owing to the fact that the British were heavy purchasers of Chinese goods. At all events the exportation of cotton goods from Canada has ceased and the manufacturers, to recoup themselves, [illegible] whereby they might control production and maintain prices at whatsoever figures they saw fit to impose.

The manufacturers are now trying to sell all the factories in the country to an English syndicate. If they succeed they will, of course, be relieved of all further trouble and responsibility in connection with the maintenance of the combine. The Englishmen, owning the entire plant, can easily keep it intact; they will have no weak brethren to contend with in the auction room. Practically there will be but a single factory in all Canada. It will be a monopoly pure and simple, with an absentee proprietary growing rich at our expense.

THE STRIKE ON THE CENTRAL.

The New York Central Railway has declared war against all labor organizations, and as a consequence what promises to be the greatest of all strikes in the history of the country is now on foot. The question now arises, what will be the outcome? On which side will victory perch? A question of this kind raised at this distance from the scene, where all knowledge of the actual facts of the case are necessarily meagre, does not admit of an authoritative answer; but it may be said that much depends on the thoroughness of of the organization of the Knights of Labor together with the support they get from kindred labor societies. The Knights of Labor steadfast, and the recipients of the support of other labor organizations, the ultimate discomfiture of the railway company is assured. Railways must operate or become dead property. The New York Central will scarcely elect to go through what the Burlington did. Such victories are too dearly bought. Labor is hydra-headed. Defeat only means a suspension of hostilities for the purposes of organization and of recuperation. In the matter of strikes, railways more than any other industrial enterprise suffer in greater proportion. Operated they must be, and by skilled help, or undergo tremendous losses. The sine qua non of the successful operating of a railway is men who thoroughly understand their business. They must not only know how to run locomotives, make up trains and handle them when once in motion, but they must be familiar with the road, its grades, curves and bridges. No engineer, however competent, takes his first trip over the road without a "pilot," and even admitting a pilot to be superfluous he must have the intelligent co-operation of the other train hands from the conductor downwards. It does not follow, therefore, that the replacing of the strikers will be an easy task. On the contrary, it may be supposed, that the company will find it difficult to procure competent men. Few good men are idle and these naturally in sympathy with the strikers, will in the great majority of instances incline them to refuse to work at any price. There is no evidence of it, but somehow we regard this strike as the precursor of a revolution, in the relations of capital to labor. Hitherto capital has not fought labor organizations themselves, but their demands. This is a fight against the principle of labor organizations, and it is scarcely likely that the Knights of Labor and the Brotherhood men urged by the momentous consequences involved to them, will submit to be beaten short of the last ditch.

The demands of the strikers are for a minimum day's wages of $1.50, station agents to receive $75 per month. These demands do not appear to be unreasonable. Taken the skill required, the cost of living and the fact that it is ridiculous to ask men to work for a bare livelihood, the company might well concede the rates asked. But, as has just been said, the grand object of the Central is to rid itself of what is called the tyranny of labor organizations. It has a big contract on its hands. It has invited the hostility of every labor organization in the country. Labor has learned the value of organization, and doubtless before it will submit to defeat it will tie up every railway in the United States. If the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and that of the Firemen are as thoroughly organized as reported, it is in their power to stop traffic on every railway on the continent inside of twenty-four hours. But will the Brotherhood undertake so extreme a measure? They declined to do so during the Burlington strike; that, however, was a strike for wages; this for the preservation of the principle of the right to maintain protective labor unions. The difference is a vital one; it means the reign or the dethronement of plutocracy. If the Central should decline all overtures for settlement, and the strike in consequence should assume national proportions, capital may take the sweet unction to itself that it is whol to blame. It first set the example of combination. For years it has pooled its issues, not alone for the purpose of depressing wages but as affording it the means for "cinching" the public. In this it succeeded admirably, and from the example set labor took its cue.

It would appear to people who are capable of appreciating the significance of the labor situation that capital instead of supercilliously declining overtures for a compromise would do well to accept any proposals consistent with reason and justice. Such, however, is not the habit of capital. It has too much faith in the starving out process. Not until after a long and bitter struggle, with all hope of success exhausted, will it offer terms. Suppose, then, labor, exasperated by the bitterness of the struggle, should demand more than a fair success, it should undertake the "cinch game?" We may be mistaken, but if the portents of the times are worth anything, the crushing out of organized labor is about the last thing capital should undertake.

THE "SICK MAN."

The continued presence of the "Sick Man" in Europe is one of those anomalies which must long since have ceased to be but for the jealousies of the several European nations. Afraid of each other, and dreading the prestige consequent to the acquisition of territory, the nations of Europe have insisted on the maintenance of Turkish autonomy. Thus has Mahomedanism managed to eke out a miserable existence, and thus it has come about that a portion of the world's surface susceptible of the highest development has deteriorated politically and industrially to the point where anarchy has actually supervened. And how is all this going to end? Is the balance of power such a paramount question in Europe that the Turk must again be carried over a critical period in his career with the aid of jealous outside nations? It is beginning to look as if foreign intervention in the case of the Turk will scarcely meet the requirements of the case. His condition is that of utter helplessness. His vitality has departed. Left much longer to himself he must lapse into what is virtually a comatose state. This condition will not merely invite the commiseration of the powers with their moral support and the general cry of "hands off." Participation in his affairs will be required, and this means, of course, the occupancy of the country. Now, which of the nations will be permitted to occupy Constantinople? Joint occupancy is not to be thought of. Some one nation must undertake the role of a rejuvenator. And it is over this question the nations will fight. Probably of all the causes which might lead up to an European war, that of the Turkish question is the most justifiable. National eyesores of the kind that Turkey furnishes should be gotten rid of. Fighting is disagreeable and expensive, but a war which should eventuate in the expulsion of the Moslem from Europe would have its compensations. European disarmament will never occur until the Turkish question is settled.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Eighteen newspapers have been started in San Diego during the last three years and all have gone to the graveyard. It would be interesting—and perhaps profitable—to know how unprofitable the publishing business has been in Victoria. Since '58, many daily and weekly papers which have been issued to "fill a long felt want," but exactly how many we do not know. Either Sheriff McMILLAN, Hon. DECOSMOS or Mr. Speaker HIGGINS, all of whom are ex-journalists, could tell us if they would.

There has been a good deal said about the use of water meters, and no doubt they are useful where large quantities are daily used. But their introduction to private houses is to be deprecated on the ground that they would lead to a penurious use of that which is the great element in keeping the city clean. There is no doubt that drains and sewers get much more washing out under the present system than they would if the water supply were metered to the public. But the meter manufacturers do not mention this in their side-wind advertisements of their wares.

The latest fad of singers is to use Worcestershire sauce to "string up" their throats when slightly relaxed. The expedient, however, is not recommended by the medical faculty. It is likely to lead to deterioration of the vocal organs if abused. It has been erroneously stated that SIMS REEVES, the great English tenor, who is singing even now, has been in the habit of using ridiculous specifics to get his voice up to concert pitch. This is entirely wrong. The veteran vocalist has never used anything stronger than cold beef-tea, a bottle of which in former years frequently accompanied him to the concert-room.

THE BISHOP OF CALEDONIA'S ADDRESS.

TO THE EDITOR:—In the address of the Bishop of Caledonia to his clergy, published in your issue of July 11th, is the following statement: "Years ago there was bitter antipathy between the first missionaries and those then sent for the first time by another denomination. That ceased when the chism happened, and the insignificant band of faithful churchmen had to bear the double force of antagonism. The power to crush us as passed away, and I hope the will has gone with it, etc." Now, there is no other denomination up the coast except the Methodist, and justice demands that I flatly deny the charge of "antagonism" or a desire to "crush" either the bishop or the "faithful churchmen," on the part of the Methodist missionaries. No single fact goes to show the existence of any such spirit, either now or in the past, and if the Bishop is conscious of "antagonism" he must place it elsewhere than in the spirit or conduct of the Methodists.

Yours truly, T. CROSBY.

Port Simpson, Aug. 4th, 1890.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, June 5th, 1890. je6

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OKANAGAN MISSION MAILS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Okanagan Mission mail matter arrives on Wednesdays and departs the next day. This is not satisfactory as it takes two weeks to get a reply to a letter sent to Vancouver or Victoria. What is the reason of this and what change would be beneficial? The reason is that the Sunday train does not carry mails and there is no eastbound train on Mondays. The change that would better this state of affairs would be to have the mails arrive and depart a day later in the week. I hope this boon will be granted shortly by the postoffice department.

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

THE INJUNCTION AGAINST THE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

TO THE EDITOR:—Kindly permit the following explanations regarding the injunction obtained by me against the club building at foot of Menzie street, which was dissolved on argument before Mr. Justice Drake. I was made thoroughly aware by my legal advisers that the injunction would not be sustained, but I had it taken out for the following reasons: I was anxious that no additional expense should be incurred upon the construction of the building, pending the full particulars of its bearing upon the question of the formation of the arranged esplanade being placed before the public, as I felt assured that when this is thoroughly understood, that the community generally, and also the members of the Athletic Association themselves, will not permit the building to be proceeded with, to the permanent injury of the city by its preventing the formation of the esplanade and the beautifying of the James Bay water front, which, when completed, would add so much to the attractions of Victoria. Further, I considered that a consequent result of the injunction would be that on its being dissolved, on the ground that I was not the proper party to bring the action, the court would point out the proper course to be taken to secure the removal of the building. Mr. Justice Drake points out that the Attorney-General of the Dominion is the party at whose instance the removal must be made, and this is the advice I received when first consulting my lawyers.

It now devolves upon the proper parties to make the necessary representations to the authorities at Ottawa to take steps to prevent the disfigurement of the city, and have the building taken down.

I consider that the Association should be re-imbursed their outlay, as they were led into the expense of construction through the good-natured, quasi assent of the municipal council, which latter body seem in a great measure to have been unaware of their esplanade obligation and privileges, and of the effectual stoppage the club building would be to the esplanade's formation.

Yours faithfully, A. B. GRAY.

AN ERRATIC CAREER.

Blyth's Great Wealth Adjudged to His Daughter.

The great Blyth case, which ended recently by a decision in favor of Florence Blyth, is probably the most remarkable in the history of California, and has been before the courts for seven years. It has claimed the attention of people of two continents, thousands and thousands of dollars has been spent by the 197 contestants, the laws of the State of California have been changed to accommodate it, dozens of lawyers have been engaged on it for years and several lives have been wrecked by reason of it. Incidentally other cases, some criminal, have grown out of it, and one person has been tried for complicity in an attempt to kidnap the girl who has been declared the lawful heir.

Thomas H. Blyth died suddenly April 4, 1883. He had led a very irregular life, and though over sixty years of age when he died, and the possessor of property valued then from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000, he left no will. He died of heart failure while taking a bath in the apartments of Alice Edith Dickerson, on Geary street, San Francisco. Miss Dickerson is one of the two women who claim to be the widow of Blyth. She based her claim on a reputed marriage contract which she entered into with Blythe.

In the days of '49 Blythe began peddling fancy goods and accumulated a few hundred dollars. He loaned it on the mortgage of a block of land—a mere sand heap—of triangular shape, now by Kearny, Geary, and Market streets and Grant avenue. The money was not repaid, and Blythe foreclosed the mortgage. He offered it to James Lick for the amount loaned, but the latter had his hands full in other directions, and Blythe had to hold on to his lot. Very soon, however, the boom set in, and the property rapidly increased in value till that which was once purchased for a few hundred dollars came to be worth upward of a million.

He made further investments and his wealth increased with the growth of the country.

Blythe went to England soon after he had made his fortunate investment, and remained there till 1874. In February, 1873, while in London, he met a girl of twenty. He was fifty years old. The girl was Julia Perry. An intimacy ensued, the result of which a daughter, named Florence, was born on Dec. 18 of the same year.

Julia Perry married in 1876 a man named Asheroft, whose child some of the heirs allege Florence to be. Others, again, say that Florence is Perry's own daughter by his present wife Catherine Beadle.

Of the 197 claimants who originally filed claims, 87 were ruled out on technical grounds, and of the remainder one, Glorane Hitchcock, was also ruled out on the ground of non-appearance. Mrs. Hitchcock is the wife of the editor of the Waco, Tex., Daily Examiner, and says she is the legitimate daughter of Thomas H. Blythe and Bessie Morgan, who lived with Blythe in 1849, before he started from St. Louis for California. In addition there were two alleged widows, Alice Edith Dickerson and Nellie Firmin. About a year and a half after Blythe's death on the assumption that no valid claim could be established by any of the claimants, the Attorney-General applied to have the property escheated to the State, but the attempt failed. In 1885 Mr. Hart, attorney for Florence Blythe, had a law passed by the Legislature with the special object of facilitating the distribution of an estate in cases of this kind. By this law any claimant can bring suit against the others, compelling them to appear and show cause within a limited period. It is under this statute that the case has been disposed of, suit having been brought against 100 claimants by Florence Blythe, as the putative daughter of the millionaire, and issue having been joined by them.

One of the notable features of the case was the opening of the coffin containing Blythe's body, one set of the contestants basing their claim to relationship on a scar, which they said, Blythe bore. But the scar was not found.

Alice Edith Dickerson, who claimed to be Blythe's widow, first met him in 1875, when she was twenty years old. In the same year she married a young artist of San Francisco named Peters. Two years later she obtained a divorce from Peters and went to live in a cottage owned by Blythe. Two weeks after she moved into the cottage they contracted to be man and wife. During the time that she had been settling her matrimonial troubles with Peters, Blythe had been sued for divorce by Nellie Firmin, but the suit failed and ultimately Blythe obtained judgment to the effect that Nellie had never been his wife.

In the case of Miss Dickerson the strain of anticipation, the conflict of hopes and fears proved disastrous. She indulged in dissipation, and finally she was committed to the Home for Inebriates. Subsequently she was taken before the lunacy commission and committed to the Napa Asylum. It is said she has reformed since her release from the asylum, but she is a mere wreck of her former self. She is now about 35 years old, is short, slight in figure, and her hair is of that indefinite blonde tint which Millionaire Blythe was wont to admire. Nellie Firmin was also a blonde.

The girl who, by Judge Coffee's decision, becomes heir to the millions left by Blythe, is a comely girl with a fair education. Though only seventeen, she has had many suitors. The case, owing to the gypsy claimants, has become known in Great Britain and America as the "Romany Rye."

LEPERS AT HAWAII.

Everything Being Done for the Relief of These Unfortunate People.

The report of Mr. Meyers gives minute statistics of the leper settlement, says the Hawaiian Gazette. It appears that the total population is 1,457, of whom 1,159 are lepers, "kokuas" or helpers 186, children not lepers 40, original inhabitants 57, and 15 others occupying various positions of trust or service. Of these six are sisters of charity, 2 Catholic priests, 1 Protestant pastor, etc. There is at least a competent resident manager, Mr. Evans. Mr. Myers differs in his table of the percentage of deaths with that of the president of the board. He makes it 25.32, in place of 37.20. The statistics of lepers differ also to a considerable extent. He justly calls attention to the nuisance of dogs, as well as that of horses, of which there are 786. Some lepers own from five to fifteen of them, to the damage of the general property. It is suggested that the number should be decreased to one horse for each family, which certainly appears ample.

The government owns 196 buildings, many of which have been erected during the last biennial period, and the settlement is now well equipped in that respect. Lepers have built and own over 235 houses. The spiritual needs of the people appear to be pretty well provided for, two Roman Catholic, two Protestant, and two Mormon churches. There are also two prisons. An ample supply of pure water is obtained by a well-constructed system of waterworks, also put in during the last two years. Each patient is supplied with a $10 order on the store each year, besides ample weekly rations. These comprise the following articles: Rice, flour, bread, poi, sweet potatoes, sugar, beef, (sometimes mutton) salmon, oil, soap, matches, kals flour, fish, salt, firewood. The average number of those who receive rations has been 1,036.8. The cost per capita is about $83.42. The twenty-eight Chinese lepers live up to their nature, and drive a profitable business in cakes, etc., besides encouraging the vices of gambling, opium using and drinking. Perhaps Mr. Meyers is hard upon them. The people at the settlement appear to have money and actually have sent away $943 during the past two years. One of the features of great encouragement in fighting the disease is the increasing confidence of the Hawaiians, who not only are offering less resistence to the authorities, but many lepers not suspected, have voluntarily surrendered themselves.

Fat Humanity.

The fattest young woman in France has just been buried. She was 19 years old and weighed 479 pounds, but there is a child in England who bids fair to beat this record. He is vouched for by the Lancet, the leading medical newspaper, and may therefore be accepted without reservation, mental or otherwise. He lives, and lives well, at West Camel, in Somersetshire, and is five and a half years old. The following are his interesting dimensions:—Height 4 feet, weight 117 pounds, circumference of abdomen 42½ inches, waist 37½ inches, chest 37, neck 14, head 28½, thigh 23, calf 15½, arm 11½, forearm 10½. The Lancet somewhat unnecessarily adds that he eats all day long if he can get food. He is very healthy and fairly intelligent. He is not for sale, lease or hire.

Do Not Be Deceived.

"In Darkest Africa" is the title of Mr. Stanley's book. All others are bogus.

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Artemus Ward's Last Joke.

Joseph Jefferson, in his autobiography in the August Century, relates what was probably the last jest of Artemus Ward.

When the famous wit lay dying in Southampton he was tended by his devoted friend, "Tom" Robertson, the English playwright, who was also a friend of Jefferson.

"Just before Ward's death," writes Mr. Jefferson, "Robertson poured out some medicine in a glass and offered it to his friend.

"Ward said: 'My dear Tom, I can't take that dreadful stuff.'

"'Come, come,' said Robertson, urging him to swallow the nauseous drug; 'there's a dear fellow. Do now, for my sake; you know I would do anything for you.'

"'Would you?' said Ward, feebly stretching out his hand to grasp his friend's, perhaps for the last time.

"'I would indeed,' said Robertson.

"'Then you take it,' said Ward. The humorist passed away but a few hours afterward."

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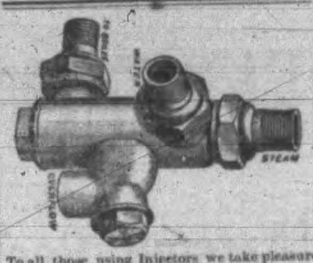

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NOTICE.

Estate of Richard Hunter, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of Richard Hunter, late of the City of Victoria, B. C., deceased, are requested to send in the same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September next.

CHAS. N. CARRIOK,
LOUIS G. McQUADE,
Executors.

Dated at Victoria this 31st day of July, A. D. 1890. jy31-td

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On which taxes have been due and unpaid for two years and upwards and which will be sold on the first day of September, 1890, at the City Hall, Victoria, at 12 o'clock noon in pursuance of the Victoria Real Estate Tax Sale By-law, 1890, unless in the meantime the arrears of taxes and costs due in respect of each lot in the schedule hereunder written be paid.

LOT.	BLOCK.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.	COSTS.	TOTAL.
19	12	$576 80	$63 44	$640 24
E. two thirds 24	3	67 20	7 40	74 60
One half 25	3	89 10	9 80	98 90
W. one-half 26	3	122 80	13 50	136 30
33	3	51 00	5 61	56 61
Part 87	26	70 38	7 73	78 11
145	V	124 08	13 64	137 72
377	4	117 20	12 89	130 09
Part sub. 4 of 618, 619	M	31 00	3 41	34 41
Part sub 8 of 602, 603	M	33 44	3 68	37 12
East part 876	J	27 56	3 03	30 59
East one-half 878	J	37 30	4 10	41 40
940	42	48 60	5 34	53 94
991	9	75 00	8 25	83 25
992	9	36 60	4 03	40 63
993	9	22 20	2 44	24 64
997	17	35 50	3 90	39 40
1007	17	23 40	2 57	25 97
Sub. 13 of 1257	T	46 80	5 15	51 95
Sub. 8 of 1694	56	7 60	84	8 44
Subr 34 of 1694	56	10 50	1 15	11 65
Sub. 4 of 1772	61	27 50	3 03	30 53
WORK ESTATE.				
4	D	21 90	2 41	$24 31
10	W	77 60	8 54	86 14
SPRING RIDGE.				
A	64	6 00	66	6 66
B	64	6 00	66	6 66
7	69 to 72	3 90	43	4 33
8	"	3 90	43	4 33
9	"	3 90	43	4 33
10	"	4 80	53	5 33
11	"	4 80	53	5 33
12	"	6 90	76	7 66
17	"	3 90	43	4 33
18	"	3 90	43	4 33
19	"	3 90	43	4 33
20	"	42 60	4 68	47 28
43	"	34 80	3 83	38 63
48	73	3 60	40	4 00
51	"	44 90	4 94	49 84
FINLAYSON ESTATE.				
1	B	48 00	5 28	53 28
2	B	25 20	2 77	27 97
5 ACRE LOTS.				
One-half of Sub 23	II	18 98	2 08	21 06
Part Sub. E.	V	17 00	1 87	18 87
Sub. 1	E ½ VI	11 20	1 23	12 43
" 2	"	10 30	1 13	11 43
" 6	"	10 20	1 13	11 33
" 11	"	10 60	1 16	11 76
" 12	"	10 00	1 10	11 10
" 13	"	10 00	1 10	11 10
" 6	XIII	7 60	83	8 43
" 45	"	40 80	4 49	45 29
" 46	"	40 80	4 49	45 29
" 33	"	62 10	6 83	68 93

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NOTICE.

Estate of John Charles Frederick Gieselman, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Supreme Court of British Columbia has granted probate of the will of the deceased dated 16th day of May, 1890 to Mr. Frank Curry and Mr. George Reiley, the executors therein named.

All persons indebted to or having claims against the estate are to make payment or application for payment to the executors at the office of the undersigned.

A. PERRY MILLS,
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Dated 2nd July, 1890. jy3-4m

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INTERIOR ITEMS.

Mining Matters and News Notes From the Inland Press.

From the Miner.]

The Canadian Pacific is becoming anxious for a share of the trade of this section of Canada. One of its general freight and passenger agents is reported to be on his way in with instructions to make rates equally as good as those obtained from the Grand Trunk Northern Pacific combination.

The Sayward-Davies Lumber Company will have its mill in running order within fifteen days, says Manager Kane. Already they have over 200,000 feet of logs on hand. The mill site is said to be a good one for the handling of both logs and lumber.

"The Stanley of the Kootenay Lake country," as W. A. Baillie-Grohman so dearly likes to be called, will be at the scene of his dredging operations, two miles below Nelson, within a couple of weeks. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Grohman and the children.

Work on the Queen Victoria copper claim has been suspended for the present, the owners having gone to work to make grub stakes.

Davys & Tolson's saw-mill was expected to be in readiness for actual work Saturday afternoon, and will be cutting lumber this week. The first cut will be used for building a flume from the mill to the wagon road at a point near the Cottonwood Smith creek bridge, a distance of about a mile and a half.

Saturday night the first mile of the wagon road from Nelson to the Hall mines was practically completed, except a part of the rock-work west of the Cottonwood Smith Creek, and the work will be turned over by the contractor by the end of next week. The planking for the bridge across Cottonwood Smith Creek is at the landing, and timbers are being got out for the bridge across Giveout Creek. Bids will be opened on Monday for the completion of the remaining nine miles of the road. The committee ask for separate bids for completing the remainder of the road, for a section from the 1-mile post to the 4-mile post, for a section from the 4-mile post to the 7-mile post, and from the 7-mile post to the end of the line. No doubt a number of bids will be made, as the work is such that there is a show for men without large means or plant to get in and do it.

Usually the visits of the paymaster on a railway are looked forward to with pleasure by those whose names are inscribed on the pay-roll; but the rule does not hold good on the Columbia and Kootenay. On that road the paymaster is a sort of poll-tax collector, hospital-fee gatherer, railroad-transportation scalper, and all-round-procure-your-ticket-before-entering-the-dining-room bouncer. So far, most of the men, after working two months on the grade, are still in debt to the company.

The report that Whitehead, McLean & McKay had abandoned their sub-contract on the Columbia and Kootenay railway, because of large losses incurred in being charged with the fares of men brought from the east to work on the grade, but who jumped the job as soon as they arrived, is without foundation in fact. They have merely shipped out hired teams for which they had no use, as the re-location of the line has cut down the earthwork to little or nothing. That the firm will make money on their contract is very doubtful, but that they will finish it on time is a certainty.

Last week development work was commenced on the Charleston, the south extension of the Little Donald, one of the best known claims in the Hot Springs district. The Charleston is owned by Thomas Garvey and others; the work will be under the direction of Jack Harkins and Dave Grant.

Michael Darragher, who has been wandering around town for the past few days and acting generally in an insane manner, has been sent to Revelstoke for examination.

Last week a raft of 20,000 feet of lumber was brought in from Buchanan's mill, making the distance (15 miles) in six hours. Half the lumber was for the bridge across Cottonwood Smith creek.

Work on the road from Ainsworth, through the Hot Springs district, is making good progress.

From the Sentinel.]

Dominion Land Agent Nash reports having had considerable work to do in settling claims sent from the Westminster office here for adjustment. Of late, however, he has received numerous applications for household rights, the applications coming principally from the Salmon Arm district where many settlers are making their homes.

Constable Pearse and his party, out in search of the Cariboo stage robbers, have got on to the scent of the highwaymen.

Louis Victor claims to have located a mica mine on his ranch and hopes to develop something big.

The government has decided to have the addition to the Kamloops public school building made at once, and tenders are called for.

There are at present twenty-eight prisoners in the Kamloops jail. Eleven of this number were committed on Tuesday, seven from town and four from Ashcroft.

Constable Burr, of Ashcroft, arrived in town Tuesday with a quartette of prisoners, committed to the jail here for selling liquor to Indians.

The close season for deer, elk, reindeer, Cariboo, mountain goat and mountain sheep ends on August 14th, after which date the antlered denizens of the mountain and forest will have to keep a sharp lookout for the hardy huntsman.

At a meeting held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening at the conclusion of the usual service, it was decided that the congregation was prepared to move in a call to a minister, and the necessary steps in that direction will be taken in accordance with the rules of the church.

Okanagon Notes.

The ranchers are now busily engaged with their haying and harvesting. Both hay and grain crops are more than an average crop. Contrary to expectations laborers are plentiful.

The fruit crop is this season, as it always has been, a very productive one. This valley grows apples, plums, pears, etc., that will compare favorably with fruit grown in older and better known fruit growing localities. In a few years this valley may be supplying the Northwest market with the fruits that cannot be raised successfully there.

Mr. Perry, C. E., went down to Okanagon Mission a few days ago. It is thought his object was to ascertain whether an extension of the S. & O. R. R. southward would be feasible or not.

Capt. T. D. Shorts is busily engaged on his new twin-screw steamer and expects to have her running early in September.

Deer are plentiful evidently, as they are frequently seen in the grain and hay fields destroying the crops.

Rev. P. F. Langill, who had the misfortune to break his leg some weeks ago, is recovering rapidly. He intends holding services as usual on the 17th inst.

Vernon, Aug. 6th.

An Enoch Arden Case.

The Vancouver World says: A genuine Enoch Arden case has come to light in Vancouver. The parties are all in the city and their names are well known. The name of husband No. 2 is H. Haney, and with his wife and family he has resided for some time on Hastings street east. It appears that Mrs. Haney some years ago married a gentleman named Wm. Levins. They lived together for some years and had two of a family. The husband (No. 1) left to look for work in the United States. It is alleged that from that date until a few weeks since nothing more was heard of him directly or indirectly. His wife kept a boarding house, following the work of construction on the line of the C.P.R. At Mattawa, on the Upper Ottawa, on the 14th January, 1887, she and husband No. 2 were married, the result of the union being a son going on three years of age. All went as happy as a marriage bell with the couple since their union, until a few weeks ago husband No. 1 made his appearance on the scene and demanded his wife and her love, as well as his two children. Levins, it is said, is determined upon taking her and her family away from Haney, who appears not to take the matter so seriously to heart as might be expected. The wife, however, clings to her second husband, and avers that nothing but the strong arm of the law will make her leave him. To her he has been a good, true husband. She cannot forget her first husband, or the fact that he is the father of her first born children; but the base part he played in deserting her to struggle along through life as best she could with a small family, and penniless, is ever present in her mind. At first husband No. 2 was indifferent as to whether he would give her up or not to his predecessor in his wife's affections. He is now determined to hold the fort as long as his wife is true to him. Should she prove untruthful he will demand the surrender of his child. The case is a painful one. But if our information is correct the blame is solely with Levins, who for nine long years never so much as wrote to his wife, to say nothing of aiding her in the struggle she was passing through to maintain her and her offspring. Whatever view the law may take of the case, public sympathy will go out for Haney and his wife. The matter, however, will be settled one way or the other in a short time.

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR,—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. daw

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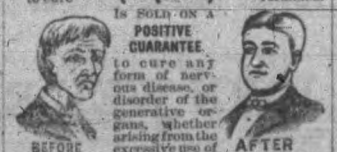

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TIME TABLE No. 13,
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Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

COING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.	STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	COING NORTH. READ DOWN.
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
	12:25	8:10	7:20	VICTORIA	8:00	3:05	10:15	
	12:30	8:20	7:15	RUSSELLS	7:50	2:55	10:05	
	12:40	8:30		ESQUIMALT	7:40	2:45	9:55	
	12:50	8:40		GOLDSTREAM	7:30	2:35	9:45	
	12:55	8:45		SHAWNIGAN LAKE	7:25	2:30	9:40	
	1:05	8:55		MOBILE MILL	7:15	2:20	9:30	
	1:10	9:00		KOKSILAH	7:10	2:15	9:25	
	1:17	9:07		DUNCANS	7:03	2:08	9:18	
	1:22	9:12		SOMENOS	6:58	2:03	9:13	
	1:30	9:20		CHEMAINUS	6:50	1:55	9:05	
	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.		A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	
	3:00	2:05	10:50	NANAIMO	12:15	6:20	7:00	
	3:10	2:15	11:00	WELLINGTON	12:05	6:10	6:50	

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Leave Port Townsend	.. .. ..	1:30 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	.. .. ..	4:00 p.m.
Leave Victoria	.. .. ..	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	.. .. ..	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	.. .. ..	2:00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	.. .. ..	4:35 p.m.

Tacoma-Seattle Route.

Leave Tacoma—8:00 a.m.; 12:00 m.; *2:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*9:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *4:30 p.m.
Boats leaving Tacoma 12:30 p.m., and Seattle at 6:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Dex Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle	†4:30 p.m.	Leave Olympia	†7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma	7:00 p.m.	Ly. Steilacoom	9:00 a.m.
Ly. Steilacoom	9:00 p.m.	Leave Tacoma	12:00 m.
Ar. Olympia	†11:00 p.m.	Arrive Seattle	†2:30 p.m.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

THE WELLINGTON LOCKOUT.

The Company Cause Five Miners to be Summoned for Intimidation.

Affairs at Wellington remain unchanged, with the exception that the company has played its second card, by causing summonses to be issued against five miners charging them with intimidating J. B. Hugo, one of the company's workmen. The miners accused are Joe Carter, John Greenwell, John Suggert and two others, and the alleged "intimidation" is described as "following Hugo through the streets of Wellington," etc. The case was set down for trial before Judge Harrison as stipendiary magistrate this afternoon, but it will probably be adjourned until Friday next. Police Magistrate Richards, of this city, has been retained for the defence. Mr. Pooley, the legal adviser of the company, will prosecute. The proceedings will be watched with interest by the public, nine-tenths of whom sympathize with the men and believe them to be in the right.

ALMOST AN ACCIDENT.

Dragged by a Moving Train—Might Have Had a Fatal Result.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Frank Campbell, sr., came very near being killed in much the same way as was the late Mr. Cusack. Mr. Campbell had been spending the day at Duncan's station, and when the evening train came down was to return to the city by it. He was talking with a friend when the train arrived, and it had just started to move out from the station when Mr. Campbell made a start for the rear steps of the baggage car.

He grasped the rods of the platform and went to jump on to the steps, but missed his foothold and slipped. He had presence of mind to cling tightly to the bars, and tried hard to get up, but the train rapidly increased its speed, and he could not. Just at this juncture, and Mr. Campbell was nearly exhausted, a gentleman passenger on the train happened to see the sad plight Mr. Campbell was in, and at once pulled the signal cord, stopping the train, and Mr. Campbell was taken on board.

It was most fortunate that there was not a fatal termination to the incident, as two passenger cars were behind the baggage car, and had Mr. Campbell lost his grip on the platform railings, the result no doubt would have been fatal. It was a narrow escape. The principal actor is as smiling as ever today, but says he shall never try to board a moving train again.

THE ABYSSINIA ARRIVES.

A Full Cargo and a Lengthy Passenger List.

The C.P. ss. Abyssinia, Capt. G. A. Lee arrived at Vancouver on Saturday at 1:30 p.m., bringing the mails from China and Japan, 32 saloon passengers, 13 second-class and 132 steerage, 2450 tons general cargo. The actual steaming time from Yokohama to Vancouver was 13 days, 20 hours. She left Hongkong July 16th, Shanghai July 21st, Kobe July 25th, Yokohama 10:30 a. m. July 27th From Yokohama to Vancouver throughout the entire voyage the seas were smooth and the weather foggy.

The following is the passenger list: Saloon—I W Bacon, Miss Bainbridge, F A Buchardi, Miss Cameron, A Cumine, John Daith, Carl Gatti, R H Greely, A T Howe, Isaac Hughes, Mr Kingdom, Capt and Mrs Lambeth and child, Rev Mr Marnas, Miss Miyagawa, E D Murray, Rev Dr and Mrs Nevius, T Nomura, Miss Oakland, Miss Owston, Mrs Platt, C A Pollan, T Sameshima, Miss Suzuge, Miss Swift, G Y Taylor, Miss Ville, Mr. and Mrs Warren and two children.

Second-class—Captain and Mrs Tiddy and two children, Mr and Mrs Morrison, Alfred Powers, Mr and Mrs Yee Tai, son and nephew, Mr and Mrs Lee Hoong Kwan.

Steerage—Four Europeans, 18 Japanese, and 110 Chinese.

A Big Load.

The large iron steamer Remus has been chartered to load lumber at Moodyville for Melbourne, Australia. The steamer is 918 tons register, and will carry 1,500,000 feet of lumber. She is now on her way from Java with a load of sugar for San Francisco, and when loaded with lumber will be the first steamer to take a load of lumber from any port on the coast to a foreign port. In fact the sailing of the Remus will be the starting of a faster way of taking lumber from one place to another, the slow sailing vessel being at present the chief way to transport the lumber.

Through a Bridge.

An east bound tea train met with an accident at the second crossing of the Illecillewaet Friday morning, says the Sentinel. It is supposed that the river changed its course somewhat during the night and washed out the bridge supports, allowing the structure to collapse when the train had almost passed over it. Only the rear engine (used in pushing these trains up the heavy mountain grades) and tender were on the bridge when it gave way. The engine jumped the track and the tender went through, breaking away from the engine. Fireman Iliff, who jumped from the tender had his ankle dislocated and was severely shaken up. No one else was injured. No. 1 was delayed slightly over twelve hours by the accident.

Rumored Arrangements.

Private advices received at Vancouver state that there is a little doubt that the Pacific Mail Steamship Company has made such satisfactory arrangements with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company as will cause the latter company to abandon its plan of permanently running its steamers to San Francisco. The officials of the latter company are reticent as to any such arrangement having been concluded but there is little doubt that the American lines have agreed to pay a subsidy to the Canadian Company in order to prevent the latter encroaching on the territory south of Portland.

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Chats on Dairying.

Prof. Robertson, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, left Ottawa last week for Manitoba and British Columbia. He will hold meetings in British Columbia as follows: Kamloops, Sept. 9th; New Westminster, Sept. 11th; Victoria, Sept. 13th; Saanich Hall, Sept. 15th; Comox, Sept. 18th.

Eight Hours a Day.

D. M. Carley, secretary of the Victoria Trades Assembly, is in receipt of a letter from Rev. M. L. Rugg, of the Calvary Baptist church, stating that he intends to preach on the eight hours question on Sunday evening next.

Rev. W. H. Ellison will also preach on the same subject in the Esquimalt church next Sunday evening.

The Laura Mine.

Mr. Morris Moss has late reports from Manager Jensen, of the Laura hydraulic mine at Rock Creek, which are quite satisfactory. The dirt runs from three to twenty cents to the pan, which is rich when the extent and character of the ground is considered. The eight feet of gravel which covers the bed rock has not been touched yet. A general wash up will be made about the 20th.

Mainlanders Moving.

A largely attended meeting of university graduates was held at Vancouver on Saturday evening. After some discussion it was carried that Rev. E. D. McLaren be a representative of the city on the University Board. The tone of the meeting was decidedly Mainland, and the intention was firmly expressed to work with New Westminster and the Interior in the establishment of the University of British Columbia.

A Victim of the War.

A few wags of Nanaimo, says the Free Press, are constantly placing placards in a conspicuous spot in the city with some witticism at the expense of the troops stationed at Wellington. The latest joke in this respect may be seen on the Crescent, it being a young dead chicken which is hung upon one of the telephone poles and attached to which is a large card bearing the words—"A victim of the terrible war at Wellington."

No Truth in the Rumor.

A rumor has been circulated among the Chinese residents that the City of Pekin, which is now due from the Orient, will be the last Pacific Mail steamer to call here, as the company had withdrawn. The agents in this city deny the rumor and say that the company intend to stick to Victoria as they consider it the best place in the northwest for their northern terminus. The City of Pekin will leave San Francisco on the 23rd inst. on her next trip and will arrive here on the 26th, sailing the next day.

Election Protests.

The protests against the return of Messrs. Horne and Cotton have not been dropped, as was reported. Mr. Greer will press his protest against Mr. Horne's election and the trial will be held after vacation. The other protest—supposed to be a sort of offset and instituted, it is alleged, for the purpose of an ultimate compromise—will also be heard when the legal holidays are ended and the court and lawyers have laid aside lawn tennis suits for the more appropriate costume of white wigs and silk gowns.

Economical House Warming.

All of the finest modern business buildings and private houses are heated by steam and hot water and the old fashioned stove dispensed with. Among the advantages gained are an even temperature, no coal dust on the furniture, and a saving of fuel and room. See the Safford Patent Radiators now displayed at Richardson & Heathorn's before placing your order. They are simple in construction, highly ornamental, and there are over 20,000 of them in use, which speaks volumes for their worth. aug11-1w

Had a Good Effect.

A few days ago the TIMES referred to the dreadful smell that arose from "the city chicken ranch" on Government street, between Fisgard and Cormorant, where a Chinaman keeps a lot of fowl in small pens. The item has had a good effect, and John has been notified by Sanitary Officer Bailey that if the nuisance is not abated by this evening, a summons to appear in the police court will be presented to him. It is to be hoped that this will have the effect of doing away with all such places in the city.

"Scotland Yet."

A very fair audience greeted McKenzie Munro and the local talent who assisted him in the concert held in the Vicoria on Saturday night. Mr. Munro's piping and dancing were perfect and as graceful as could possibly be. The Bantly brothers rendered a very pretty violin duet and Miss O'Nell in Scotch costume delighted the audience with two solos. Mr. Whiting of the Queen City Band, and Mr. Donahue of the Warspite band, in cornet solos were loudly applauded. Altogether the concert was a thoroughly enjoyable and successful one.

Fined $5.

After six remands the case of A. Dunsmuir, charged with allowing stagnant water to remain on a lot belonging to him, was finally decided this morning by the defendant being ordered to pay a fine of $5. The evidence in the case was very contradictory and caused quite a little amusement during its slow progress. Some of the witnesses swore that no smell arose from the water while others swore that the smell was unbearable. The fine was a very small one, but his honor promised that a larger fine would be imposed next time and it is to be hoped for the sake of those living in the vicinity and the school children who pass there every day that the owners will take some measures to fill it up, as that would be the only course open, the excavation being lower than any sewer that would ever be dug.

A young wife who writes from the old homestead:—

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NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

The steamer Emma is now engaged in local towing.

Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf is being strengthened with a few new piles.

The steamer Badger left for Nanaimo this morning with a scow in tow for coal.

The steamer Danube leaves for Portland to-night with cargo per the Belle Isle.

Geo. Beckingham was a passenger from San Francisco by the Walla Walla.

The steamer Parthia left Yokohama last week for Hong Kong to load again for this coast.

Steamer Walla Walla, with a large freight and passenger list, arrived from Frisco at noon.

The steamer Rustler is on the beach north of the swing bridge having her propeller repaired.

The steamer Princess Louise hit a rock while north, and has gone into the dry dock for repairs.

The barks Albertine and John Courier are expected to arrive at Burrard Inlet soon to load lumber.

The steamer Rainbow arrived yesterday from Bute Inlet and ports, and will leave again to-morrow morning.

The little steamer Jabberwhack, belonging to Mr. Musgrave of Salt Spring Island, is at Spratt's wharf being repaired.

The steamer Falcon left for Saanich this morning with a scow in tow. She will bring back a load of stone for Mr. Phillips.

The Government steamer Douglas left to-day for the Straits with the scow Electron in tow, to effect repairs in the Straits cable.

That wonderful piece of marine architecture, the stoamer K.de K.of Westminster, has been portrayed in the Dominion Illustrated.

The steamer Islander is to leave for Skeena river and northern ports the first of September to bring down salmon to this port.

The new steamer Thistle owned, by Capt. Manson, is at Spratt's wharf receiving her engines. She is a fine looking vessel, and will be well suited for work.

The tug Lorne towed the ship Lucile from the Royal Roads to Nanaimo yesterday, starting at 7 a. m. and returning reached Victoria at 6 p. m. Pretty quick time.

Wm. Jones of Walla Walla, brother of C. E. Jones of this city, is in town. He leaves to-night for home with his wife, who has been much improved in health by a visit here.

It is currently reported along the water front that the C. P. N. Co. has bought, or will buy, the C. P. R. steamer Danube for the northern trade, to take the place of the Sardonyx.

The ship Lennie Burrill, Capt. Bell, has finished loading at the Hastings Saw Mill for Melbourne, Australia. She takes away 953,254 feet of rough lumber, 14,715 feet of pickets and 228,400 laths.

The ship Celeste Burrill, 1,864 tons, Capt. E. B. Haines, arrived this morning from Hiogo, Japan, 34 days out. The captain reports moderate weather with much fog. No other vessels were spoken. The Burrill will load coal at Nanaimo for Frisco.

From the Interior.

L. M. Henderson, of Langley & Co., who has just returned from a holiday trip to Enderby, reports the crops in the Spallumcheen country to be splendid. A. L. Fortune has already cut 100 acres of wheat, and has a big crop of oats ready to cut.

The right of way of the S. & O. Railway has been cleared to Lansdowne, and five miles of the road is already graded.

T. W. Patterson has a boat running between Sicamous and Enderby, and is doing well.

During Mr. Henderson's stay the heat ran between 98 and 103 deg. Both he and his family were benefitted by the trip, but the only drawback he occasioned was the fact that the TIMES did not reach him on time, and consequently he felt a little lonely.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day: 71 deg.

Baggage Express.

The Driard Transfer Co., Northern Pacific office, Government street, connects with all trains and steamboats. Baggage checked to Puget Sound and all eastern points. je12

Accident at Duncan's Station.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Smythe, eldest daughter of the late Hon. W. Smythe, was severely hurt at Duncan's Station. It seems from what can be gathered that Miss Smythe with a party of friends were out driving and the buggy occupied by them collided with a heavy lumber wagon, overturning the former, with the result above stated.

After Life's Fitful Fever.

On Saturday afternoon the mortal remains of little Kate Adams were tenderly laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The service at the grave was very touching, Rev. Coverdale Watson officiating. The little casket was covered with flowers, tributes of sorrowing friends, who deeply sympathize with the grief-stricken parents.

Badly Burnt.

A boy named Imbert working at the Queen City laundry put his hand on one of the ironing mangles this morning and had his fingers badly burnt. The mangle drew his fingers in and would undoubtedly have taken his arm off if Chas. Roland who was standing by had not turned the pressure off and stopped the machine. Although pretty badly burnt it is not thought that the boy will lose his fingers.

A Clergyman's View.

Rev. Mr. Banton, of Nanaimo, in his letter apologizing for his absence from the indignation meeting, said: Let me express my hearty concurrence in an expression of indignation at the uncalled for advent of a detachment of militia into the otherwise peaceful district of Nanaimo. I cannot but feel that this step is a wanton insult to the community at large. I would also join in a request to the authorities for a withdrawal of the soldiers.

Backed Into the Train.

On Friday last Mrs. Christie, an elderly lady living at Departure Bay, was out driving with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Butler, and two children, and while near a railway crossing the horse became restive and backed the buggy into the train, throwing the occupants out. The engineer stopped the train at once, and happily the accident was not fatal, but Mrs. Christie sustained painful injuries, her wrist being broken as well as several ribs.

Arrived from the Orient.

American steamer City of Peking, 5079 tons register, Capt. J. M. Caverly, arrived off the outer wharf at noon today in charge of Pilot Thompson, from Hongkong via Yokohama. The steamer brings 102 Chinese for this port, 100 of whom pay $50 each poll tax. Two have return certificates. Only two tons of freight was for this port. The voyage over was an uneventful one, and made in good time. She leaves this evening as soon as the Chinese are landed.

Among the Unions.

On Saturday evening the building laborers of this city met and formed a branch of the Building Laborers' Protective Association with a large membership. This is one of the most particular unions in the city as it is formed of men who are practically doing away with the Chinese labor that was formerly so much used on the erection of buildings in this city.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A. Dutton, president; Geo. Millett, vice-president; F. Wall, recording secretary; H. Allen, treasurer; F. Nathan, financial secretary; H. Jones, sergeant-at-arms.

The Bricklayers' and Shipwrights' Unions have both donated a liberal amount of money to help the striking miners at Wellington.

Schools Re-Open.

The doors of the public schools were thrown open again this morning and the pupils appeared ready for another term's lessons looking as brig it as ever. Among those attending were a large number of new scholars and the rooms are now packed, the attendance being the largest ever known for the first day. This is the case at the ward as well as the central schools and everything bids fair for a good term's work. This morning was occupied in placing the pupils in their right divisions and when counted up there was found to be 888 pupils at the central school, divided as follows: High school 86, boys' department 422, girls' department 380. Of course this number will be greatly increased before long as a great many parents object to send their children to school during August, the warmest month of the year.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The Walla Walla brought up 247 tons of freight for this city.

H. M. ships Nymphe, Daphne and Champion went out in the straits this morning for prize target practice.

The two sharpers who have been playing the flim-flam game, or change racket, have been captured at Vancouver.

The directors of the Jubilee Hospital have decided to open a school for nurses in connection with that institution.

R. B. Esnouf has purchased a half interest in the Steitz restaurant. The firm will be known in future as Fox & Esnouf.

"Montserrat" Lime Fruit Juice alone, or taken with sugar and cold water, is a most delicious beverage during the heated term.

The large panther shot at Millstream by Albert Wales, has been stuffed and mounted, and is now on exhibition at the Occidental Hotel.

Quite a boom in school books just now. The local bookstores are doing a rushing trade in primers, writing books, arithmetics, grammars, etc.

The run of salmon in the Fraser is very big just now, and many of the fishermen have been recalled from the boats and taken on at the canneries.

The Chinese customs revenue during the month of July in Vancouver this year was $2847, against $4,920 for the same month last year, a decrease of $2,073.

Mr. Thomas W. Kingsmill, the President of the North China Royal Asiatic Society, who is in Westminster, will lecture there to-night on China and the Chinese.

Another of the indian women has died who were so horribly burned while drunk at Westminster a week or so ago. The man who furnished the liquor is now charged with manslaughter.

The difficulties in the way of the purchase of a site for a garbage crematory at Vancouver is what delays the establishment there of this very necessary adjunct to metropolitan advancement.

R. McKenzie Munro, the champion Scotch dancer, it to give an exhibition at Ecquimalt on Saturday evening. He will be aided by several of the naval men, and a fine evening's entertainment will be provided.

The contract for completing the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia Railway from its present terminus on Nooksack River to connect with the Canadian Pacific, will be let next week. The cost of completing the line on the American side of the boundary will be about $130,000, and on the Canadian side considerable more than that sum.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Mr. G. B. Wright is at the Driard.

E. Mohun and wife are in the city.

Mr. Jas. Orr, of Vancouver, is in the city.

E. C. Cotteau, Paris, is stopping at the Driard.

Mr. Sam. Greer came over from Vancouver last night.

I. Van Volkenburgh came over from the mainland last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Hale and T. S. Nowell of Boston are at the Driard.

Jno. S. Berry, of Baltimore, and J. H. McCoon, of New York, are at the Driard.

Thos. Keith, M. P. P., came down on Saturday from Nanaimo. He will return to-morrow.

Miss C. Wren arrived by the City of Kingston on Saturday evening and is registered at the Oriental.

Inspector Wilson, of the C. P. R. Telegraph, has gone with the Electron to repair the Straits cable.

Luther L. Holden, of the Raymond excursion party, came down from Nanaimo to-day and is at the Driard.

J. O. Blanchard, of Macondray and San Francisco, is staying at the Driard and leaves to-morrow by the Umatilla.

H. Plowman, of Oakland, just returned from Alaska, is stopping at the Oriental and will leave to-morrow on the Umatilla for San Francisco.

Thomas Deasy, Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department, and Rev. Father Van Nevel returned on the Walla Walla from San Francisco where they have been attending the Y. M. I. convention.

James A. Thomson, formerly chief engineer of the steamer Rainbow, has successfully passed his examination for the position of steamboat inspector, and will soon come west again vested with the powers of his office.

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To-Night.

Meeting at city hall this evening to discuss the best method of entertaining Admiral Hotham and officers of fleet. Mayor Grant will take the chair at 8 o'clock.

No Dispatches.

The telegraph wires were in trouble beyond Nanaimo to-day and up to 3 p.m. the break had not been repaired. For this reason our dispatches were completely cut off.

Cut his Finger off.

Diver Lewellyn who has gone to assist at the wrecking of the Sardonyx, cut off one of his fingers while working with a hatchet the other day on the steamer Princess Louise.

From Alaska.

The Queen arrived at Nanaimo this morning from Alaska. A number of the excursionists came down on the train and registered at the Driard. The Queen will arrive before evening.

Fall Meeting.

The Victoria Jockey Club will hold its fall meeting at the Driving Park on Friday and Saturday 10th and 11th of October, when $2,000 in prizes will be offered for trotting, pacing, running and high jumping contests.

Birth on the Walla Walla.

The passenger list of the Walla Walla contained an additional name on her arrival at this port, a little girl baby having been born on the way up. The incident occurred while the steamer was opposite Crescent City on the Californian coast, and the little one was named Crescent Wallace Bradford. The first name in honor of the locality, the second in honor of Capt. Wallace, and the third the family name. A purse of $100 was raised among the passengers for the little one, and $10 was also given to the stewardess who acted as nurse.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and Elsewhere.

The National baseball club defeated the Unions by a score of 14 to 9 at the hill on Saturday.

CRICKET.

The Beresford club suffered their first defeat of the season on Saturday, when a team from H. M. S. Champion ran up a score of 150.

THE OTTAWA TEAM.

Following is the team selected by the B. C. Rifle Association to compete at Ottawa in the Dominion Rifle Association matches: Sergt. Newbury, B. C. G. A.; Gr. F. R. Sargison, B. C. G. A.; Master Gunner Cornish, C Battery; Gunner Mortimer, B. C. G. A.; Corpl. Langley, B. C. G. A.

LACROSSE.

The game that attracted most attention at the hill on Saturday, evidently because it was between different cities was the Victoria-Westminster lacrosse match. The game was rather one-sided from the start and it was evident that the Westminsters had an impenetrable defense. The first game was not exciteable and was won by Tite for Victoria in 20 minutes. The next three games were won by the Westminsters. The remaining thirty minutes till time was called was occupied in a game in which neither team scored.

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CITY POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., P. M.)

In the city police court this morning the case of Mrs. Leclaire, charged with stealing an accordian was concluded by the woman paying $2 the cost of the summons.

Eleven citizens were the next called, they having allowed their lots to get covered with thistles, and for which they were fined $4 each.

Mary, an Indian, appeared in court with a very black eye to answer to the charge of screaming on the streets. The woman was blind and Sergt. Walker took pity on her and asked that she be discharged, a request that was granted.

BIRTH.

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By order of the President.

O. WARNER, Sec.

NOTICE.

I respectfully ask the citizens of Victoria to meet at the City Hall on the evening of Monday next, at 8 o'clock to consider what steps should be taken to entertain Rear Admiral Hotham and officers of Her Majesty's fleet now lying at Esquimalt.

JOHN GRANT,

Mayor.

Aug. 8th, 1890. au9

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THE LADIES OF ST. JAMES' SEWING Society will have a social on Tuesday evening, August 12th.

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